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Subject: RE: Notes from Friday RA call with Rep. Dingell regarding BASF & Wyandotte water quality

Drinking water treatment plant? Or POTW?

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Importance: High

Nefertiti,

For action item one on the attached Report on phone call with Rep. Dingell, please schedule an inspector take water samples from the Wyandotte treatment plant, perhaps even split samples, and send them for testing. This will serve to verify the results of recent tests conducted by EGLE and to demonstrate that Rep. Dingell and EPA are being responsive to constituent concerns. I've included George for his awareness. We need this done as soon as possible.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you.

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Hi:

I'm following up on Debra's call with Rep. Dingell on Friday to discuss the BASF site and alleged ongoing releases from the facility into the Detroit River.

Please see the RA's attached notes for commitments she made to the Congresswoman – namely to respond to the control, which is also attached, with 7-10 days; to take samples from the city treatment plant; and to convene bi-weekly meetings to update Rep. Dingell or her staff.

Will LCRD please check in with EGLE and suggest a good day and time for bi-weekly calls? I can then coordinate with Rep. Dingell's office and send out an invitation. Since we'll be responding in writing by the end of this week or early next week, maybe we schedule the first call the week of July 25 or August 1? (If possible, Mon, Tues or Wed would be best for ECO.)

Other thoughts/considerations?

Copying GLNPO for awareness.

Thanks,

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I have to step away but let me know if you have any questions.
Thank you for your help with this.
Debra

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